

FUNDING COMMITMENT REPORT FOR APPLICATION NUMBER: 0000142935

Funding Request Number: 0000228030      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2alli  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00291  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,106.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000228033      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2alli  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00291  
Pre-discount Cost: \$13,638.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000228037      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2andr  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00293  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,860.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000228040      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2andr  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00293  
Pre-discount Cost: \$8,908.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000228043      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2barr  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00296  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,649.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

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Funding Request Number: 0000228047      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2barr  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00296  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,092.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000228050      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2bedi  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00299  
Pre-discount Cost: \$7,633.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000228055      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2bedi  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00299  
Pre-discount Cost: \$14,307.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229261      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2bren  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00302  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,859.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229264      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2bren  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00302  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,119.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

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Funding Request Number: 0000229266      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2clif  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 05397  
Pre-discount Cost: \$5,281.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229272      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2clif  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 05397  
Pre-discount Cost: \$10,049.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229279      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBMcunn  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00311  
Pre-discount Cost: \$5,441.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229285      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2cunn  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00311  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,818.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229291      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2dill  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 06356  
Pre-discount Cost: \$3,772.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

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Funding Request Number: 0000229293      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2bdill  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 06356  
Pre-discount Cost: \$10,147.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229302      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2dobi  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00313  
Pre-discount Cost: \$7,476.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229310      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2dobi  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00313  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,006.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229337      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2grah  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00316  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,503.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229343      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2grah  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00316  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,212.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

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Funding Request Number: 0000229349      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2harr  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00319  
Pre-discount Cost: \$8,902.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229351      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2harr  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00319  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,734.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229353      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2jord  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 02470  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,938.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229356      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2jord  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 02470  
Pre-discount Cost: \$11,988.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229358      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2josl  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00325  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,083.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

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Funding Request Number: 0000229363      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2josll  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00325  
Pre-discount Cost: \$13,715.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229365      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2ohen  
Services Ordered: Dedicated Services  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00338  
Pre-discount Cost: \$7,528.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229368      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2ohen  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00338  
Pre-discount Cost: \$11,910.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229373      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2peca  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00344  
Pre-discount Cost: \$5,679.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229381      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2peca  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00344  
Pre-discount Cost: \$11,303.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

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Funding Request Number: 0000229387      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2pill  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00346  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,127.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229395      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2pill  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00346  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,192.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229402      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2plea  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00347  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,527.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229407      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2reil  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00351  
Pre-discount Cost: \$3,427.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229413      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2plea  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00347  
Pre-discount Cost: \$13,694.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

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Funding Request Number: 0000229414      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2reil  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00351  
Pre-discount Cost: \$10,110.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229419      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2ridg  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00352  
Pre-discount Cost: \$3,512.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229421      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2ridg  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00352  
Pre-discount Cost: \$10,915.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229423      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2suns  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00359  
Pre-discount Cost: \$7,577.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229425      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2suns  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00359  
Pre-discount Cost: \$13,592.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.



FUNDING COMMITMENT REPORT FOR APPLICATION NUMBER: 0000142935

Funding Request Number: 0000229427      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2webb  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 02468  
Pre-discount Cost: \$5,587.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229428      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2webb  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 07/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 02468  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,266.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229429      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2winn  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00364  
Pre-discount Cost: \$5,778.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229430      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2winn  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00364  
Pre-discount Cost: \$11,336.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229431      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2wool  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00366  
Pre-discount Cost: \$9,238.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

FUNDING COMMITMENT REPORT FOR APPLICATION NUMBER: 0000142935

Funding Request Number: 0000229432      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2wool  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00366  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,995.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229433      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2woot  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00367  
Pre-discount Cost: \$6,515.00  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.

Funding Request Number: 0000229434      Funding Status: Unfunded or Denied  
SPIN: 143005607      Service Provider Name: IBM Corporation  
Provider Contract Number: IBM2woot  
Services Ordered: Internal Connections  
Earliest Possible Effective Date of Discount: 07/01/1999  
Contract Expiration Date: 06/30/2000  
Site Identifier: 48 08940 00367  
Pre-discount Cost: \$12,174.74  
Discount Percentage Approved by the SLD: N/A  
Funding Commitment Decision: \$0.00 - 28 Day Waiting Period Violated  
Funding Commitment Decision Explanation: The Form 471 application was signed and/or submitted prior to the expiration of the 28-day waiting period from the day of the posting of the Form 470 to the SLD Web Site.



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AUSTIN INDEP SCHOOL DISTRICT  
Leslie Cohen  
1111 W 6TH ST STE C-200  
AUSTIN TX 78703-5300



DATE: 03/08/1999

Important Notice from  
The Schools and Libraries Division/USAC  
about your Form 470 Application

We are pleased to inform you that the Schools and Libraries Division/USAC (SLD) has received your properly completed FCC Form 470, Description of Services Requested. This letter provides important information about the processing of your Form 470 application. Please read this letter carefully and retain it for your records and future reference.

SLD has assigned the following Universal Service Control Number (USCN) to your FCC Form 470: 516460000128505. Please record this number in a safe place. The USCN is used to track your Form 470, and it must be provided when completing a FCC Form 471, Services Ordered and Certification Form, that is based upon your Form 470 application. Any Form 471 applicant that relies on your Form 470 application must know the USCN for this application, and must be expressly listed in the Form 470 application in Item (19) of that Form. You may wish to share the USCN for your Form 470 application with those schools and/or libraries that are listed in Item (19) of your application to assist in their preparation of Form 471 applications.

The next step in the application process is the completion of a FCC Form 471 application, Services Ordered and Certification Form. FCC rules require that request for new services be posted on the SLD Web Site for a period of 28 days before you enter into and sign any contracts with service providers. Your application was posted by the SLD on 03/04/1999. Accordingly, a contract or contracts may be signed for requested services on or after 04/01/1999. The SLD will be prepared on that date to receive your Form(s) 471. A properly completed Form 471, with a signed Form 471 certification, must be received by the SLD no later than 04/06/1999 in order to meet the SLD 126-day window. If the earliest allowable submission date is after the window date, your application will not be considered together with those received within the window.

A properly completed certification for your Form 470 has not been received. Please keep in mind that, while you may have mailed your signed, hard-copy certification, the SLD may not have received and processed it or your certification may not have been properly completed, in which case the SLD has not accepted it. Please view your Form 470 on the SLD Web Site [www.slcfund.org](http://www.slcfund.org) to determine whether your certification has been processed or call the SLD Client Service Bureau at 888-203-8100 and have your USCN ready for the service representative. SLD acceptance of your certification must occur before the closing of the application window in order for you to be eligible for consideration within the window.

It is important to remember that not all requested services may necessarily be approved for discounts. Your application is subject to review by the SLD for a determination of funding eligibility before funds are committed. (This review will consider all program rules including eligibility of discount recipients and the eligibility of services for which discounts are requested.) In addition, availability of funds will be a factor in funding decisions. Therefore, you should consider the possibility of a denial of funding or a level of funding below your request, and include appropriate contingencies in contracts for any or all of the requested services.

If you have any questions, please call the SLD Client Service Bureau at 888-203-8100.

Austin Independent School District



September 29, 1999

Letter of Appeal  
Schools and Libraries Division  
Box 125 – Correspondence Unit  
100 South Jefferson Road  
Whippany, NJ 07981

RE: Form 471 Application number: 142935  
Billed Entity Number: 141739  
Appeal for Funding Request Numbers (FRNs): See attached listing of FRNs  
USCN for Form 470: 516460000128505

District Contact Person: Leslie Cohen  
Austin Independent School District  
1111 West 6<sup>th</sup> Street  
Austin, Texas 78703  
512/414-4630

Dear Sirs:

We received a notification from you indicating that the 1999-2000 application from the Austin Independent School District (ISD), Austin, Texas has been denied due to a violation of the 28-day waiting period. We disagree with and are appealing this decision.

There are two related reasons we would like to present which are the basis for this appeal:



1. Our Form 470 and our Form 471 were signed 29 days apart. Form 470 was signed March 3, 1999 and Form 471 was signed on March 31, 1999. The Form 470 was filed electronically on March 3, 1999 and posted on the SLD Web Site on March 4, 1999. The 28<sup>th</sup> day was March 31, 1999 and our Form 471 was signed at the end of this business day and promptly mailed to you for processing, recognizing the potential postal delivery delays associated with the Easter weekend.

United States Postal Service Return Receipt indicates that the SLD received the documents on April 5, 1999. Consequently, Form 470 was posted an additional 5 days on the SLD Web Site, for a total of 34 days. During this period, Austin ISD received no inquiries regarding the posting.

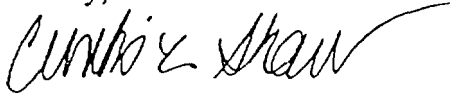
2. According to FCC rules, requests for new services must be posted on the SLD Web Site for a period of 28 days before signing any contracts with service providers. In fact, Austin ISD had a pre-existing contract with IBM signed on November 11, 1997 which was a multi-year contract structured to coincide with the E-Rate eligibility requirements and consistent with Texas competitive bidding laws. The IBM contract respected the E-Rate eligibility requirements of having portions of eligible work performed in calendar year 1998 and subsequent portions performed in calendar year 1999. However, the SLD regulations regarding pre-existing contracts for the 1999-2000 application period defined an "existing, written binding contract" as one that was signed on or before July 10, 1997. Accordingly, we could not check Block 3, Number 10, "Check if applicant seeks discounts only for eligible services based on one or more existing, binding contract(s)." Although we did not have an existing contract prior to July 10, 1997, we did have one in place by November 11, 1997, and clearly had a relationship with our vendor at the time of the 1999-2000 application.

As stated previously, during the Form 470 posting period no vendors contacted the Austin ISD, and irrespective of the March 31, 1999 date the Form 471 was signed, no contract was entered into during the 28 day posting period, nor earlier than April 1, 1999. In fact, having received no additional vendor interest, Austin ISD proceeded with the final negotiations with IBM for 1999 year work, which included technology infrastructure work beyond the E-Rate eligible work, well after the April 1, 1999 date.

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September 29, 1999

For the 1998-1999 E-Rate program year we received over \$2 million which has helped achieve technology goals for many of Austin's most needy children. We followed the same procedures when we completed the 1999-2000 E-Rate application. It would be extremely unfortunate if we lose the opportunity to provide technology for additional students in this under-served population. We appreciate the reconsideration of our application and anticipate a timely response to this appeal. Please contact us if you need additional information or documentation.

Sincerely,



Curtis E. Shaw  
Director Construction Management

Attachment

cc: Senator Phil Gramm  
Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison  
Congressman Lloyd Doggett  
William E. Kennard, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission  
Cheryl Parrino, Chief Executive Officer, Universal Service Administration Co.  
Kate L. Moore, President, Schools and Libraries Division  
Dr. Pascal Forgione, Jr., Superintendent  
Dr. Joy McClarty, Deputy Superintendent  
A.C. Gonzalez, Deputy Superintendent

FRN	SPIN	Service Provider Name	Services Ord.	Pre-Disc. Cost	Disc.
227922	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 58,923.00	90%
227929	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 82,574.00	90%
227934	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 55,783.00	90%
227940	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 81,737.00	90%
227944	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 48,471.00	80%
227948	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 93,540.00	80%
227952	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 90,496.00	80%
227956	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 97,478.00	80%
227967	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 63,577.00	90%
227968	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 96,757.00	90%
227970	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 68,728.00	80%
227972	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 99,329.00	60%
227974	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 88,943.00	80%
227976	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 148,243.00	80%
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227983	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 43,089.00	80%
227984	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 60,975.00	80%
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227989	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 64,064.00	90%
227992	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 120,385.00	80%
228001	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 171,756.00	80%
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228018	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 72,079.00	90%
228026	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 6,040.00	80%
228029	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 2,819.00	80%
228030	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 6,106.00	90%
228033	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 14,290.00	90%
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228055	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 14,959.00	60%
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229264	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 12,771.00	60%
229266	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 5,281.00	90%
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229279	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 5,441.00	60%
229285	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 13,470.00	60%
229291	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 3,772.00	90%
229293	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 10,799.00	90%
229302	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 7,476.00	90%
229310	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 12,658.00	90%
229337	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 6,503.00	80%
229343	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 12,854.00	80%
229349	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 8,902.00	90%
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229373	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 5,679.00	90%
229381	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 11,955.00	90%
229387	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 6,127.00	60%
229395	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 12,844.00	60%
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229419	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 4,852.00	90%
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229423	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 7,577.00	60%
229425	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 14,244.00	60%
229427	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 7,561.00	90%
229428	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 12,918.00	90%
229429	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 5,778.00	90%
229430	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 11,988.00	90%
229431	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 9,233.00	90%
229432	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 13,647.00	90%
229433	143005607	IBM Corporation	Ded Svc	\$ 6,515.00	60%
229434	143005607	IBM Corporation	Intr Con	\$ 12,826.00	60%

Application Total: \$ 2,736,636.00

# Austin Independent School District



December 3, 1999

Letter of Appeal  
Schools and Libraries Division  
Box 125 – Correspondence Unit  
100 South Jefferson Road  
Whippany, NJ 07981

RE: Form 471 Application number: 142908  
Billed Entity Number: 141739  
Appeal for Funding Request Numbers 227897, 227899, 227903, 227906, 290570  
USCN for Form 470: 516460000128505

Austin Independent School District Contact Person: Leslie Cohen  
1111 West 6<sup>th</sup> Street  
Austin, Texas 78703  
512/414-4630

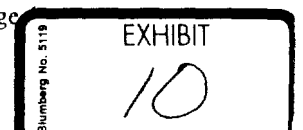
Dear Sirs,

On April 5, 1999, the Austin Independent School District applied to the USAC for \$1,100,000 for telecommunications. On November 2, we were notified by the USAC that this application was denied because of a violation of the 28-day waiting period. We would like to appeal this denial for two reasons:

1. Our Form 470 and our Form 471 were actually signed 29 days apart thus meeting the 28-day requirement. Form 470 was signed and dated March 3, 1999 and Form 471 was signed and dated on March 31, 1999. Although Form 470 was filed electronically on March 3, the SLD did not post it until March 4, resulting in the apparent violation of the 28-day waiting period.

United States Postal Service Domestic Return Receipt indicates that the SLD received Form 471 on April 5, 1999. Consequently, Form 470 actually was posted an additional 5 days on the SLD web site for a total of 34 days. During the entire 34-day period, Austin ISD received no inquiries regarding the posting.

2. The District actually was not required to post a bid at all because we followed local and state purchasing policies. Every request in Form 471 application number 142908 was for tariffed or month-to-month telecommunications services. Each of these services comes from a state contract that the State of Texas General Services





Commission (GSC) has entered into in order to give school districts the lowest possible rates. The GSC conducts extensive competitive bidding to select vendors who provide good service at the lowest possible rates. School Board policies encourage using state General Services Commission contracts which our research indicates offer the lowest available rates. The District does not issue a contract to these state-approved vendors; it merely creates a purchase order for these services. In some cases, such as with pagers, the District orders what is needed using neither a contract nor a purchase order.

E-Rate funds have helped achieve technology goals for many of Austin's most needy children. The same procedures that we used successfully in 1998-1999 were followed when completing the 1999-2000 E-Rate application. It would be extremely unfortunate if AISD were to lose the opportunity to provide technology for additional students in this under-served population.

We appreciate the reconsideration of the application and anticipate a timely response to this appeal. Please contact us if we can provide additional information or documentation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Joy McLarty".

Dr. Joy McLarty  
Deputy Superintendent

Cc: Senator Phil Gramm  
Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison  
Congressman Lloyd Doggett  
William E. Kennard, Chairman, Federal Communications Commission  
Cheryl Parrino, Chief Executive Officer, Universal Service Administration Co.  
Kate L. Moore, President, Schools and Libraries Division  
Pascal D. Forgione, Jr., Ph.D., Superintendent  
A. C. Gonzalez, Deputy Superintendent

**SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES DIVISION**

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Whippany, New Jersey 07981

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**Administrator's Decision on Appeal – Funding Year 1999-2000**

April 14, 2000

Leslie Cohen  
Austin Independent School District  
1111 West 6<sup>th</sup> Street  
Austin, TX 78703

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**APR 26 2000**

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT ACCOUNTABILITY  
AND INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Re:   Billed Entity Number:           141739  
      Application Number:           142908  
      Funding Request Number(s):   227897, 227899, 227903, 227906 & 290570  
      Your Correspondence Dated:   December 3, 1999

After thorough review and investigation of your appeal, the Schools and Libraries Division (SLD) of the Universal Service Administrative Company has resolved your appeal seeking approval of additional discounts for the second program year. This letter addresses our decision concerning each Funding Request Number that was included in your letter of appeal for the Application Number cited above. If your letter of appeal addressed more than one Application Number, a separate letter will be issued to inform you of our decision on the appeal of each Application Number.

Funding Request Numbers:   227897, 227899, 227903, 227906 & 290570  
Decision on Appeal:        Denied in full

**Denial Reason:**

- The Form 471 was signed prior to the Allowable Contract Date of 4/1/99 (the 28<sup>th</sup> day after posting the Form 470 on the SLD Web Site) for new services. We have confirmed this by examining the date that you signed your Form 471 application (3/31/99). If this date was before the 28<sup>th</sup> day after the posting date of your Form 470, then your application did NOT comply with the program rules governing the preparation and submission of Form 471. In this case, the 470 has an allowable contract date of 4/1/99 and the 471 was signed 3/31/99.

If you feel further examination of your application is in order; you may file an appeal with the Federal Communications Commission, Office of the Secretary, 445 12<sup>TH</sup> Street, SW, Room TW-A325, Washington, DC 20554. Before preparing and submitting your appeal, please be sure to review the FCC rules concerning the filing of an appeal of an Administrator's Decision, which are posted to the SLD Web Site at <[www.sl.universalservice.org](http://www.sl.universalservice.org)>. You must file your appeal

with the FCC no later than 30 days from the date of the issuance of this letter, in order for your appeal to be timely filed.

You should now move ahead, if you haven't already done so, with your Form 486 and related post-commitment arrangements for services for which funds have been committed and services have begun to flow. We thank you for your continued support, patience, and cooperation during the appeal process.

Schools and Libraries Division  
Universal Service Administrative Company



UNIVERSAL SERVICE  
ADMINISTRATIVE CO.

**SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES DIVISION**

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Whippany, New Jersey 07981

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**Appendix C**

**Administrator's Decision on Appeal - Funding Year 1999-2000**

April 18, 2000

Leslie Cohen  
Austin Independent School District  
1111 West 6<sup>th</sup> Street  
Austin, Texas 78703

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**APR 26 2000**

DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENT ACCOUNTABILITY  
AND INFORMATION SYSTEMS

Re: Billed Entity Number: 141739  
Application Number: 142935  
Funding Request Number(s): All FRNs (78 FRNs)  
Your Correspondence Dated: September 29, 1999

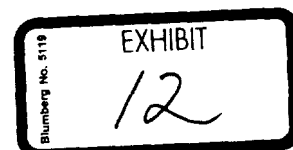
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Funding Request Numbers: All FRNs  
Decision on Appeal: Denied in full.

**Denial Reason(s):**

- The Form 471 was signed prior to the Allowable Contract Date of 4/1/99 (the 28<sup>th</sup> day after posting the Form 470 on the SLD Web Site) for new services. We have confirmed this by examining the date that you signed your Form 471 application (3/31/99). If this date was before the 28<sup>th</sup> day after the posting date of your Form 470, then your application did NOT comply with the program rules governing the preparation and submission of Form 471. In this case, the 470 has an allowable contract date of 4/1/99 and the 471 was signed 3/31/99.

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Schools and Libraries Division  
Universal Service Administrative Company